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In re Application of

MERRILD et al.

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Examiner: M. Brown

For: SOCK OR STOCKING FOR THERAPEUTIC USE

RESPONSE

To the Director of Patents and Trademarks

Sir:

In response to the office action mailed September 17, 2004, kindly amend the application as follows:

Kindly enter and approve the following, which is a clean copy of each replacement paragraph, section, and/or claim incorporating the respective changes made, previously as well as concurrently.

No new matter has been added by the amendment(s).

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